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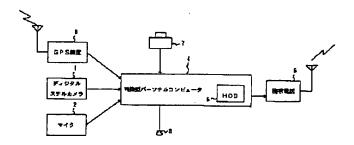
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TITLE

: MULTIMEDIA INFORMATION

TERMINAL EQUIPMENT



PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To automatically construct multimedia information gathered on the spot into a data base without interposing the manual work of an operator by adding GPS information fetched at the time of gathering the information to the multimedia information.

SOLUTION: The multimedia information of the image information of an object photographed by a digital still camera 1 and audio information recorded by a microphone 2 and the GPS information outputted from a GPS device 3 at the time of gathering the multimedia information are fetched. Then, transmission data for which the simultaneously gathered multimedia information and GPS information are turned to one set are sent out to a communicating party (center) line-connected by a portable telephone 5. Thus, the correspondence of the multimedia information and the GPS information is easily obtained on the data base and the display position on a map of the multimedia information is easily made to correspond from the position coordinate information of the latitude and longitude of the corresponding GPS information.

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